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Applicant(s): HEINRICH HEILBRONNER

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT (updated on 8/3/06)

Sir:

Applicant acknowledges the Office Action dated June 15, 2006, which set a one-month period for response that expired on July 15, 2006 (a Saturday), rendering the present submission on the next business day July 17, 2006, timely and without need for an extension thereof. Applicant respectfully responds as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin page 2.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 3.

Comments begin page 4.